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SUBJECT: DHEW/OHD:RSA/SFCP - OFFICIAL TRAVEL OF

-- DR. MARCUS J. FUHRER

1. DR. MARCUS J. FUHRER, DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH, TEXAS INSTITUTE FOR REHABILITATION RESEARCH, 1333 MOURSUND AVE., HOUSTON, TEXAS IS PLANNING TO ARRIVE IN NEW DELHI VIA PA NO. 2 ON SUNDAY, MARCH 14 AT 0620, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE. ARRANGEMENTS TO MEET DR. FUHRER UPON ARRIVAL WOULD BE APPRECIATED. -OULD LIKE TO EET ,ETZNER AT 1UUU ON MARCH 15 TO ARRANGE FOR HIS ASSIGNMENT. DR. FUHRER IS ON A TWO WEEK ASSIGNMENT BEGINNING ON MARCH 21 AND ENDING ON APRIL 3.

2. HE AND HIS WIFE WILL VACATION FOR A WEEK IN THE NEW DELHI - AGRA - BOMBAY AREA BEFORE HE COMMENCES WORK IN BOMBAY ON MARCH 21. HE WILL WORK WITH DR. MONDEKAR IN BOMBAY IN PROJECT DEVELOPMENT IN NEUROLOGICAL REHABILITATION DURING THE WEEK OF MARCH 22 TO 26 WITH VISITS TO THE INDIAN CANCER SOCIETY FOR PROJECT MONITORING AND DR. COLABOWALLA, IN PRIVATE PRACTICE, (RE. END-STAGE RENAL UNCLASSIFIED

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DISEASE) AND DR. G.S. CHEWARCE, CHILDREN'S ORTHOPEDIC

HOSPITAL, (RE. CEREBRAL PALSY) TO DETERMINE THEIR
READINESS FOR PROJECT DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY.

3. DR. FUHRER AND HIS WIFE WILL DEPART BOMBAY AT 0855 VIA
IC NO. 109 ON SATURDAY MARCH 27, ARRIVING MADRAS AT
2245. ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CONSULATE TO MEET DR. FUHRER
AND HIS WIFE AND BRING THEM TO THE DASPRANKISH HOTEL
WOULD BE APPRECIATED. DR. FUHRER WOULD LIKE TO DEPART
FOR VELLORE ON SUNDAY, MARCH 28 BY CAR, LEAVING THE
DASPRANKISH HOTEL AT 0900. REQUEST CONSULATE MADRAS TO
ARRANGE FOR A CAR TO TAKE DR. FUHRER AND HIS WIFE TO
VELORE AND RETURN. PREFER CAR TO STAY WITH DR. FUHRER
DURING THE WEEK FOR HIS OFFICIAL TRAVEL IN VELLORE AND
BE AVAILABLE FOR HIS RETURN TRIP. DR. FUHRER WILL LEAVE
VELORE BY CAR FOR MADRAS EARLY MORNING APRIL 2 IN TIME
TO COMPLETE TRAVEL EXPENSE RECONCILIATION AT THE MADRAS
CONSULATE AND MEET FLIGHT IC NO. 440 LEAVING MADRAS FOR
NEW DELHI AT 1845, APRIL 2.

4. IN VELLORE, DR. FUHRER WILL WORK WITHIN A SCHEDULE
TO BE DEVELOPED BY DR. MATHAI, ASSOCIATE ADMINISTRATOR OF
THE CHRISTIAN MEDICAL COLLEGE. HIGH PRIORITY WILL GO TO
THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PROPOSAL IN NEUROMUSCULAR REHABIL-
TATION PROPOSED BY DR. ABRAHAM, PERHAPS INVOLVING
DR. DOLAL OF BOMBAY AS A CO-INVESTIGATOR IN A PARALLEL
PROJECT IN BOMBAY. DR. FUHRER MAY ALSO WORK IN PROPOSAL
DEVELOPMENT WITH SEVERAL OTHER INVESTIGATORS THERE.

5. DR. FUHRER HAS ARRANGED FOR HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS IN
ALL LOCATIONS EXCEPT VELLORE. REQUEST EMBASSY CONTACT
DR. MATHAI AT THE CHRISTIAN MEDICAL COLLEGE AND ARRANGE
FOR ACCOMMODATIONS FOR DR. FUHRER AND HIS WIFE THE DAYS
OF 3/28 TO 4/1.

6. DR. FUHRER WILL DEPART NEW DELHI ON APRIL 3 AT 0650
ON PA NO. 1.

7. THANKS TO THE EMBASSY FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE. INGERSOLL

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